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Re: New U.S. Patent Application of SIMPSON, William E. for  
"PERSONALIZED GREETING CARD WITH ELECTRONIC STORAGE  
MEDIA AND METHOD OF PERSONALIZING SAME"; (Continuation-in-  
Part Application of copending U.S. Patent Application Serial No.:  
09/377,108, filed August 19, 1999, which application claims priority of U.S.  
Provisional Application Serial No.: 60/098,570, filed August 31, 1998, and  
which application is related to U.S. Patent No.: 5,954,194, issued  
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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the above-referenced Continuation-in-Part utility patent application. Enclosed are:

1. New patent application; 45 pages of specification including 10 sheets of informal drawings.
2. One (1) Declaration and Power of Attorney, Original Application.
3. Our post card. Please date stamp and return.
4. Our check in the amount of \$355.00 (small entity) to cover filing as calculated below:

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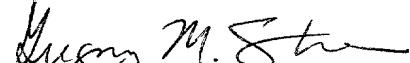
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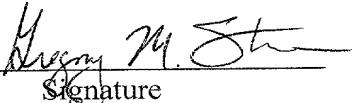
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